

FINANCIAL SERVICES

TO: Council

DATE: October 25, 2022 DIVISION: 6

FILE: 04225008 **APPLICATION:** N/A

SUBJECT: Late Tax Payment Penalty Cancellation Request

POLICY DIRECTION:

This request was evaluated in accordance with the Late Tax Payment Penalty Cancellation Policy C-204, which establishes a uniform and consistent approach for Council to address late tax payment cancellation requests in Rocky View County (the County).

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY:

On August 4, 2022, Administration received a request from the owner of roll 04225008 regarding the July 1, 2022 late payment penalty in the total amount of \$290.26. On July 5, 2022 a payment was received that paid the penalty, and the majority of the 2022 taxes. A portion of the 2022 taxes remain unpaid.

The ratepayer is requesting that the penalty be cancelled as they do not agree with a 12% penalty rate.

This request is not in compliance with the criteria in Policy C-204 (see Attachment 'B'); Administration therefore recommends that the request be denied.

ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION:

Administration recommends the request be denied in accordance with Option #1.

BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:

There are no budget implications at this time.

OPTIONS:

Option #1: THAT the request for late tax penalty cancellation in the amount of \$290.26 be

denied.

Option #2: THAT alternative direction be provided.



Respectfully submitted,	Concurrence,	
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Executive Director Corporate Services	Chief Administrative Officer	
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ATTACHMENTS:

ATTACHMENT 'A': Request Letter 04225008 ATTACHMENT 'B': Late Tax Payment Penalty Cancellation Policy C-204